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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, CALIFORNIAN QUAKE

GREAT FIRE

CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY INVOLVED.

(Reuter + Service to the China Mail.)

EUREKA, September 17.

A sharp earthquake shock was experienced today. It began with mild vibrations which inoreased in violence and then ended abruptly. BERKELEY, September 17. A great fire is raging and hundreds of homes

including those of more than half the faculty of the University of California are destroyed. check the flames which are spreading to the business section of the town.

of San Francisco Bay, 9 miles E.N.E. of San Francisco. It is the seat of the University of California and of the State Agricultural College. In 1890 the population was 5,100. Eureka is approximately 200 miles North of Berkeley.]

INDIAN AIMS.

NATIONAL CONGRESS DECISIONS.

DELHI, September 17. A joint Hindu-Moslen sub-committee of the national Congress formed to suggest means to improve communal relations advises the formation

a tour of investigation in riot centres. The Congress subjects committee carried a resolution in favour of organising civil disobedience. At a separate conference native states dele- federation. Abdullah who is a son of King Hussein gates passed a resolution urging representative constitutions for native states.

SPANISH REVOLT.

KING'S LATEST DECREES.

MADRID, September 17. Although confined to his room by a bad cold, King Alfonso signed important decrees dealing employees of Government departments to attend heavy losses. their offices punctually from nine in the morning. till two in afternoon, forbidding strangers to enter, Government offices, dismissing all civil governors and confirming the proclamation of martial law throughout the country.

LATE MINISTERS ARRESTED. CEREBERES, September 17.

Travelers from Spain bring a report that the late Ministers have been arrested.

GERMANY AND RUSSIA.

HUGE CONCESSIONS.

The German ex-chancellor Wirth has obtained what is regarded as the biggest concession hitherto granted by the Soviet, namely, the exploitation over a million desiatins of forest westward of Rybinsk, completion of the railway towards the Balticand the crection of large sawnills. These undertakings will ultimately become state property.

DUTCH QUEEN.

SUGGESTS ECONOMIES.

HAGUE, September 17.

Queen Wilhelmina has informed the Ministerof Finance that if the salaries of state officials are reduced in 1924 she will relinquish a similar proportion of the royal revenue from the treasury. The Queen Mother has acted similarly.

REVOLUTIONARIES ROUTED.

EIGHTY-TWO DEAD.

JERUSALEM, September 17. Abdullah's troops have quelled the revolution

in Trans Jordania. The revolutionaries were routed aftera fierce engagement and fled leaving 82 dead, including some chiefs.

JAPANESE SILK.

EMBARGO RAISED

NEW YORK, September 17. The Raw Silk Trade Council and Silk Association of America has decided to lift the embargo on trading in Japanese rawsilk from September 18.

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BAR SINISTER RAISED.

COLOGNE, September 17. The traffic bar between the occupied and unoccupied area in Germany has now been lifted.

ANTHRACITE MINERS.

WAGES AGREEMENT RATIFIED

mediate resumption of work.

SCHANTON, September 17. The anthracite Miners Convention has ratified the new wages agreement and has voted for im-

FIUME'S PLIGHT.

VERGE OF STARVATION.

ITALY TAKES CHARGE.

(Heuter's Service to the China Mail.)

ROME, September 17. General Giardino, who has been appointed military Governor, has gone to flume. The fact he he wearing musti and is not carrying a uniform is regarded as an indication that his mission will be entirely confined to the civil administration of the city and will have no military object. It is desired to Dynamite is being used in a desperate effort to maintain friendly relations with Serbia but it is felt that further postponement of a settlement on the [Berkeley, Alameda county, is near the East side part of Yugo-Slavia cannot be tolerated, especially in view of the plight of Fiume which, according to all accounts, is on the verge of starvation.

TROUBLE IN PALESTINE.

REVOLT AGAINST EMIR ABDULLAH.

JERUSALEM, September 17.

It is authoritatively reported that a revolution has broken out in Trans-Jordania against Emir Abdullah, whom the British Government recently of committees to draw up a national pact and make granted control of territory which geographically is part of the Palestine mandate but has been made the stepping stone of the British policy of facilitating the formation of an independent Arab conand a brother of Emir Feisul led armies during the war against the Turks. Abdullah's official organ recently foreshadowed a campaign for the establishment of a Caliphate in Mecca claiming the right to settle the personality of the Caliph on the ground that the Arabs were at the present day the guardians. of Islam.

TRIBESMEN'S COSTLY ATTACK. LATER.

Adwan and Belka tribesmen who attacked with the dissolution of Parliament, ordering all Abdullah's camp are reported to have sustained

LONDON COMMERCIAL CORPORATION.

VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION DECIDED UPON,

LONDON, September, 17. A meeting of the Commercial Corporation of London carried a resolution in favour of voluntary ·liquidation through the formation of a holding company. Threats of turbulence at the beginning of the meeting disappeared when Mr. Hatry, a director and originator of the Company and the largest shareholder, announced his intention to waive his claims in favour of the other shareholders.

EARTHQUAKE REFUGEES.

ARRIVAL IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA (B.C.) September, 17. The steamer "President Jefferson" with 155 refugees aboard representing thirteen nationalities hasarrived from Yokohama. While in quarantine 33 British and Canadian passengers, some of whom were suffering from broken limbs, bruises and shock, were taken off and placed under medical care. The Canadian Government has offered to assist all the refugees.

ITALO-GREEK SETTLEMENT.

LEAGUE COUNCIL DISCUSSION.

GENEVA, September 17. After despatching a formal acknowledgment of the Conference of Ambassadors' note regarding the Italo-Greek dispute the Council of the League heard a statement by Lord Robert Cecil largely attributing the satisfactory settlement to the intervention of the League. M. Branting regretted that the Council's reply did not allude to the competence of the council but the discussion was adjourned at Signor Salandra's request.

HOME CRICKET.

YORKSHIRE vs. REST DRAWN.

LONDON, September 17. At the Oval to-day, the match between Yorkshire (champion county) and the Rest was drawn.

Yorkshire, in the first innings, made 430 for 4 wickets and declared. Holmes scored 99, Sutcliffe 74, Oldroyd 53, Rhodes 50 not out and Roy Kilner

The rest compiled 273, to which J. Bryan con-

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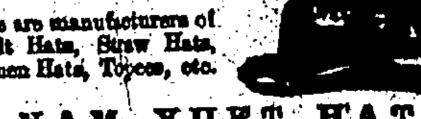
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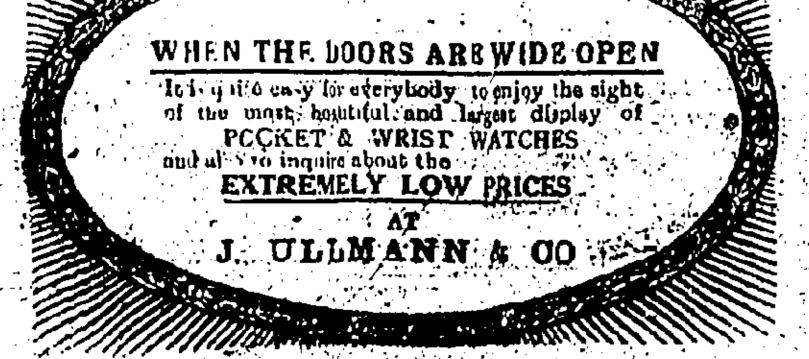
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Live Son Mourned.

derton, Nottinghamshire, called at of the University of Leyden, in Its beneficial properties are derived the isolation hospital at Newark to Nature. It is that the earth is not from the "halogen" salts it coninquire about his 6-years old son rotating as a rigid body, but that tains in solution. Among other Walter, who was suffering from some parts of its surface are things sait water is useful as a mild diphtheria, he was informed, he moving relatively to other parts. purgative sailors have long appresays, by a surse, "He has just The earth, in fact, is behaving as ciated its use. A haphazard indulgone." The father returned to his if it were a jelly-fish substance and gence is not recommended of course, home and reported to his neighbours the loss of his son. The bell in Belderton Church was tolled. Two hours later, the nurse arrived at the father's house and said the child was still alive. The matron of the hospital says that when the father called she was off duty and the nurse in charge of the case thought the child had died when it turned a bad colour. When Dr. Hine and the medical officer, Dr. Baxter, saw the child they said life was not extinct. The child is still

seriously ill. The Prince Incognito. likely, I hear, says a Scottish writer, volcanic eruptions. that he will do so again a good A Costly Mistake. many times, for he is beginning to realise that he cannot stand the strain of such loyal crowding and publicity while endeavouring to royal grandfather, King Edward, and also of Queen Victoria. All royal people like to "get off on their own' when they can; those, however, who are in attendance upon them dread such occasions, for it adds so much to their responsibilities. A few years ago, during a great public celebration, certain members of the Royal Family were dining privately at the house

of an intimate friend. They de-

sired to go out and see the illum-

inations and wished to take a bus! The host had to submit.

The Oldest Inn. searching for old English inns and dollars here or there were might do worse (says the Daily nothing to him. Jubilantly repair-Chronicle) than take a run down to ing to the auction room, she be-Liphook, Hauts, and peep in at the came at the cost of £1,550 the old Royal Anchor. Like several pleased possessor of the vase. She other inns in various parts of the lost no time in communicating the country, the Royal Anchor is the good news to her husband and oldest inn in England! Which received a scorching reply. What really is the oldest of all the oldest he telegraphed was: "No. Price an adult. For sale by all them stand inns in this fair land of ours it too high." would be difficult to say, but the Anchor at Liphook claims to have held fast for something like 600 years, and that's going back some. Monarchs of England have been dropping in there, 'tis said, since 1307. Samuel Pepys found anchorage at the inn, and mentions it in his diary, and Lord Nelson had breakfast there on the day he set sail on his last journey. Add to these the romantic shades of highwaymen and smugglers, and dashing cavaliers who hid from Cromwell's men in the secret cupboards of the Royal Anchor, and what more could the most exacting

American tourist desire? Bricks from Gold Mine Dumps.

It is believed that at last the mine dumps will be turned to commercial use in the manufacture of bricks, according to The South African Mining and Engineering Journal. Some time ago Mr. W. Ingham, chief engineer to the Rand Water Board, caused to be sent oversea, for testing in buildings, hermetically sealed samples of sand from the dumps of the George Goch, Ferreira and Robinson Deep Mines, together with quantities of white and blue lime from the Northern Lime Company and the Ventersdorp Company. The sands were first freed from all trace of cyanide: Mr. W Amott, engineer, of Glasgow, took these samples of sand and lime to the Continent and there personally inspected the process. As a result, samples of bricks have reached Johannesburg, and it is claimed that they are as satisfactory as faced bricks, at a low cost. They are hard, and grey-white in colour. They have been inspected with great interest, and a company has been formed. It is stated that 56,000 of these bricks can be turned out per diem at a cost of 27s. 6d. per 1,000. In his report Mr. Arnott says the bricks "are better than the best clay bricks, and are justly known as hard bricks. A crushing resistance of over 4,000 lb. per square facts has been obtained, and a degree of hardness far surpassing clinker brioks."-Engineering.

Stresemann.

days before the war. He came to the front after the Armistice as a leader among the National Liberals, and has a very solid following among all classes. There is one point with regard to his selection which seems significant; he has long been an ardent oplessons if the boy could pronounce ponent of the Hohenzollems—so the letter properly within a month, this would seem to indicate that the Sea-Water Cure. At the end of that time the boy return of the exile, or his son, is not said, "Susie sewed shirts for likely to meet with much sympathy. soldiers" quite satisfactorily. Mr. Stresemann is a man of consider-Jones immediately said to him, able literary abilities, and a great "Splendid, little man; you are lover of music-an amiable and

Is the Earth a Jelly? When Samuel Robinson, of Bal- forward by Professor W. de Sitter, there that sea water is at its best. not a sphere rigid as steel. It but if bathers happen to swallow a would follow that the distance few pints while learning to swim, between various points on its surface is shifting slightly. Wireless timed signals exchanged between various observatories have shown discrepancies reaching, on occasions, several tenths of a second. Similar fluctuations in recent years have been observed on the surface of the moon; in fact, something fresh water. very queer is happening in the A Considerate Employer. solar system, because even the sun seems to have been infected by the new astronomical complaint. Whether it is serious remains to be When the Prince spent his seen. Trifling "wobbling" of the recent short holiday incognito he poles is now believed by seismoloset up a precedent, for this is the gists and geologists to be myfirst time King George's eldest son steriously connected with violent has travelled in this fashion. It is earthquakes, and, perhaps, with

Sir Henry Lucy, in his new book "The Diary of a Journalist" (John Murray), tells the following story seek rest. In this, of course, he is of an American lady whose but following the example of his husband, one of the modest millionaires of the United States. following the fashion of his class. spends a considerable portion of his surplus income in works of art. The lady, being in New York, heard of a sale by auction which included a particularly tempting vase. Inquiring the probable price. she was told it would be not less than £1,500. She wrote to her husband in Chicago giving a glowing account of the treasure, and clothes." asking him to telegraph her if he were disposed to pay so much. Promptly came the reply, "No price too high." There was a duck of a husband! Trusting implicitly American visitors who are in her taste and judgment, a thous-

An ice iden

If Dr. Stresemann is the new Why does not someone, asks German premier he is likely to a writer in the Daily Herald, prove a pretty interesting person- to case the task of the ardent ality-very different from Dr. adventurer who imbibes iced Cuno, who was an exceedingly lemonade through a straw, invent who conquered the letter"s" only colourless individual. Stresemann ice that does not float? Toil is well known in London, as he was as he may to tap the coldest for some time a councillor in the place (the neighbourhood of the German Embassy in the happy ice), always the elusive crystal evades the straw, and anon he draws naught but air into the flimsy tube. Then a gurgitation as of a dying coda-water syphon is heard, and all eyes are fixed upon him with a stony stare. (Yes, of course, he might drink it without using the straw—but is that quite

increasing in favour with doctors. In some cases the method of intramuscular injection is considered better. The preparations used are procured about twenty miles from shore at a depth of thirty fathoms, A startling suggestion is put experience having proved that it is they need not worry as they will probably be all the better for it Strange stories have been told of madness being provoked by drinking seal water. This reaction however, only occurs in cases of shipwrecked sailors with no supplies of

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INTIMATIONS.

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INTERIM DIVIDEND of A" Fifty conts (50 cents) per share has been doolared for the half year

ending 30th June, 1923. 81ch Interim Dividend will be payable on and after TUESDAY, the 18th September at the offices of the Company, where shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

Company will be closed from the 7th Box No. 1449, c/o "China Mail." September, 1923 witil the 18th September, 1923 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of ohmer can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 29th August, 1923, 17

MARINE ENGINEERS' GUILD OF

Hongkong Branch. THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING | Reply will be held at the Guild Office, Sailors' | Mail."

Home, West Point, on WEDNESDAY, 19th September 1923, at 5 o'clock p.m. Urgent & Important Business. W. J. STOKES.

Branch Secretary. Rongkong, September 17, 1923.

THE HUNGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED,

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that N the Share Register and Transfer Basks of the Company will be closed from the 1st to 8th October 1923 (both

ders inclusive). Warrants for the Interim Dividend can be obtained at the Office of the Company, 2 Queen's Buildings, Hong-Hong, on and after the 9th prox. By Order of the Board,

E. COCK, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, September 17, 1923.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY GENERAL I MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, 20 Des Voeux Road Central on TUESDAY, the 2nd of October, 1923,

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 22nd of September to 2nd of October both days 22nd inst., between 11 a.m. and inclusive.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 13th September, 1923.

> HONGKONG CLUB. NOTICE.

THE THIRD YEARLY DRAWING of Twenty Debentures of the HONGKONG CLUB, (1920 issue-1500. each) was held in the Club House on SATURDAY, the 8th September, 1923, when the following Debentures were drawn for redemp-

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and will be payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on SATURDAY, the 29th. September, 1923, in exchange for surrender of same.

By Order, A. H. ABBAS, Secretary. Hongkong, 8th September, 1923.

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INTIMATIONS

JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE DISASTER: HONGKONG RELIEF FUND.

NOTICE.

SUPPLIES OF SECOND HAND CLOTHING.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE of Local Ladies under the presidency of Mrs E. D. C. Wolfe has been formed for the purpose of receiving and handing over to the Relief Committee for despatch to the devastated areas in Japan parcels of second-hand European clothing of all descriptions for adults and children.

The Committee will be in attendance at the City Hall daily from Monday, 17th Inst. to Saturday, 12 Noon.

Parcels sent by messengers should be addressed to the Japanese Earthquake Disaster Hongkong Relief Committee.

By Order, D. K. BLAIR, Secretary, HONGKONG RELIEF COMMITTEE Hongkong, 12th September, 1923.

JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE DISASTER.

HONGKONG RELIEF FUND. NOTICE.

QUBSCRIPTIONS LISTS for the above Fund are open at the following places: Hongkong General Chamber of

Commerce. Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation. Chartered Bank of India, Australia

& China. Mercantile Bank of India. International Banking Corporation. Netherlands Trading Society. Yokohama Specie Bank.

Hongkong Club. Cheques should be made out to the Order of the Japanese Earthquake Disaster Hongkong Relief

By Order, D. K. BLAIR, Secretary, HONGKONG RELIEF COMMITTEE. Hongkong, 10th September, 1923.

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Louch - Wo Yn

Lobeters,-Long Ha

Mackerel,-Ohl Yu 11

Parroi Plah, Kal Kong Yu

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Rook Flat -Shok Kan Kung

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Monk Fish, Hong Ya

Mullet,-Teal To... ...

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Bream. -- Pin Yo. -- ...

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TAXATION BURDEN.

LORD POWIS GIVES ESTATE TO SON.

The Earl of Powis, at a gathering of his tenants at Styche, Market Drayton, Shropshire, announced that he had given the Styche estate of 2,000 acres to his son and heir Viscount Clive. Lord Powis said taxation had

Mrs. K. Wilkinson, of Blad Road. Strond.
Writes: "Please could I trouble you to send me another box of the Ointment. It is not for myself, but for a friend of mine who is as bad myself, but for a friend of mine who is as bad in the head. I feel a new woman, and can go to bed now and get a good night's rest, which I had not been able to do for many months. It is not for a generation at least taxation for a generation at least taxation must be very heavy. He felt that recommed it." he must be prepared to make some sacrifices if the estate was to remain in the family, and in view of the hand over possession of the estate reviewed in a new light. to his son.

It was at Styche that Lord Powis's great ancestor, the first Lord Clive, of Indian fame, was The present Peer, who is 61, is the nephew of the third earl, who died in 1891. His elder son was killed in the war. His principal

seat is Powin Castle. and he is a very large landowner.

Viscount Olive is 19. The action of Lord Powis recalls the transference by Lord Resebery last year of his Mentmore estate in Buckinghamshire—a magnificent manaion and 5,000 acres—to his Council said that the main gates of son and heir Lord Dalmeny. 1914 Lord Lansdowne transferred that a steel jenunty had to be used to his Scotlish estates to his sons Lord shut them. Kerry and Lord Charles Fitzmaurice. The latter, who then became Ford Charles Mercerfallen so heavily on agricultural Nairne, was killed in the war.

There is no official confirmation of the report published in the French Press of a possible compromise between the Turks and Greeks by a re-adjustment of the Thracian frontier: but in some such manner, present situation he had in the says Mr. Perceval Landon, the disinterests of all concerned decided to pute across the Ægean may be

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Capons, Large,—Sin Ka 65	28
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Doves Pan Kan Each 35	
Eggs, Hon,-Kai Tan (cooking) per des 28	18
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Fowls, Canton,-Kal 11 75	36
Fowls, Hainan,-Hol Nam Kai ., 45	28
Geose, -Ngo , 55	. 24
Pigeons, Canton,-Pak Kap., each 55	3: 0
., Holbow,-Hot Hau Pak Rap	
each 35	23
Turkeys, Cook, -Fo Kal Kung lb. (O	60
Turkeys, Heu,-Fo Kai Na , 55	53
Snipe, -Sha Tsui each	83
Pheacant,—Shan Kal	_
Quail,-Om Chun 11	
Partridges,-Ohe Ku	
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Partridges,-Ohe Ku	-
Fruits.	;
Almonds,-Hang Yan ib. 65	3 5 '
Apples, (California),—Kam Shan Ping Ro 24	21
Bananas, (bride's), Macao,—San Henng Chin 6	,4
Onambola, -Yeang To 14	11
Coccenuts, - Ye Tes each 11	16
Lemons, Ohina, - Ling Mung 1b. 12	7
Ling Musg each 8	8
Lichees, Dried, (small stons).— Lai Chi Kon ib. 30	25
Oranges, (Canton), Sweet Shan-sheng Tim Chang lb. 7	
Oranges, Tim Chang 32	. -
Pears, (Canton), Cooking, -Sha Lit , 18	
Peanuts,—Fa Shang 12	10
Foreimmons, Large, -Hung Tee ., 14	12
Plantain,-Tai Chiti 4	. 3
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Grapes,-Po Tai Taz Vegetables, &c.

Pumelo, Slam,—Telm Lo Yau ...each 12

Walnuts,--Hop To ib. 14

Artichekes .- Ah Ohl Chenk ... esce Boans, Sprout,-Nga Tso... b 5 ,, Long,-Tau Kok ... -Beet Boot -Hung Troi Tru ... 2 cach Bitter Squash,-Fa Kws Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yon Kwa .. Red,-Ban-Kee... ... 7 Cabbage Chinese, (common),-Rai Two! .. 14 (Shangha!)-Ye Taol ... n 18 Cane Shoots, bunch,--Kau Shun ...

Caulifower (Large),-Ye Tsoi Fa each ... (Medium), " (Small), " Carron,- Eam Shum 1b 10 Celery Chinese, Tong Kan Taci , 20 Chillies, Dried,-Kon Lat Ohic ., 20 Red,-Hung Fa Oblu ... , 16 Green,-Ching lat Chin 1, 15 Curry Stoff, English,-Ha Li Chr Lau Oucumbers,-Oning Kwa... ... each 4

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WEEK NEWS.

ITEMS FROM FAR AND NEAR.

A member of the London County In the County Hall were so heavy

> The funeral of Mr. Pitt Chatham, creator of the part of Morano in Gay's opera "Polly," now running at the Savoy Theatre, took place at Kensal Rise Cemetery.

It was stated at the London County Council that negotiations were proceeding for the purpose of bringing Covent Garden Theatre up to the London standard of

The British steamer "Vauban" (10,600 tons), of the Lamport and Holt Line, which ran aground off Bermuda, was refloated having apparently sustained no damage.

Ventnor, Isle of Wight, District Council has rejected a proposal for Sunday tennis and bowls after 2 n.m. but will allow the provison of Lord Burham unveiled a bronze teas at the bowling green on Sun-

Blyth (Northumberland) Police was for 37 years manager of the are searching for a man who Press Association. Many journalattacked Mrs. McGowan, a miner's wife, after her husband had left for his work. A bloodstained poker was found in the room.

The dispute among the lumber and raftsmen of Norway has been settled and immediately following this settlement the strike of the 15,000 paper-workers who came out in sympathy with the raftsmen also

ended. Country carriers' vans, which have been permitted to occupy a portion of the broad High-street, Maidstone, for many years, are to be stationed in the fair meadow on account of the danger arising from the increasing motor traffic.

street, E.C., on July 31.

Fisheries has appointed a com- for simple fever, indigestion, colie, mittee, of which Lord Clinton is constitution, diarrhous and worms, chalrman, to advise what amend- quickly bring sleep in a perfectly natural ments may be considered necessary | way to weary, pain-racked little bodies, to make the operation of the southe the nerves, and the appetite, Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs" promote regular healthy development. Act, 1906 (providing for the accur- Obtainable from druggists, also post ate description and analysis of free, 60 cents the vial, from The Dr. such products) more economical Williams' Medicine Co., 60 Kiangse and effective.

When the horse she was driving bolted and overturned her dogetre at Colchester, the wife of Lieut-Col P. C. De la Pryme and her groom, Private Hanson were seriously injured, and the latter was taken unconscious to the garrison hospital

At the conference of the Museums Association at Hull, Dr. Woodhead, of Huddersfield, advocated that Germany should, as part of the reparation payments, supply the country with models and specimens so badly needed by provincial museums.

M. Krassin has visited the British Eoreign Office and had a long conversation with the Marquis Curzon. It was agreed that complete silence should for the present be observed as to the nature of the conversation and any decisions

Strong protests against Lady Astor's Bill, which seeks to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors in public-houses to young persons under 18, were made at the 51st landual conference of the Licensed Victuallers' Defence League at Bridlington.

memorial tablet in St. Bride's Church, Fleet-street, E.C., to the late Sir Edmund Robbins, who ists and newspaper proprietors were present.

With the change in the British Premiership M. Krassin hopes to gain time in regard to the British ultimatum. New instructions have been received by the Soviet representative in London, which provide for a whole series of conferences on the most varied subjects. Soviet circles in London are very apprehensive as to the outcome of these manoeuvres.

Children of Any Age.

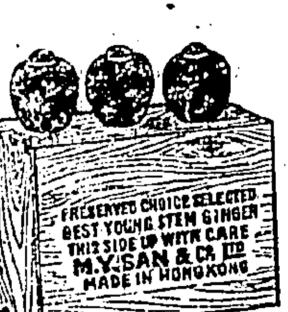
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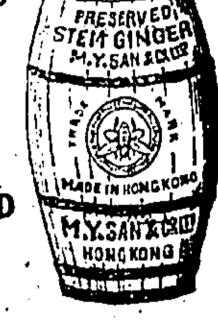
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BIRTH.

VELICOGNA .-- On September 12, 1923, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. Velicogna, a daughter.

DEATH.

LOGAN.-On Sentember 11, 1923, at Shanghai, Francis Reginald, youngest son of Mr. and Mr. J. H. Logan.

HOROKONG, TUESDAY, SEIT. 18, 1923.

JURY REFORM.

ago on the field of Runnymede, or innovation would do much harm or ful trial. The Hon. the Attorneyon the matter for in the interview he was good enough to give our our Saturday's issue he said:— include women on local juries," "Trial by jury is an old institution, opinion may possibly be divided, adding :- "It would be a pity to in favour of Mr. Kemp's opinions." abandon it: I know of no better It is difficult to believe that Mr. system." These are definite state- Kemp is unaware of the fact that in monts but, with due deference, we submit that Mr. Kemp's further statements or arguments are solid the question of women serving on reasons for abolishing the Jury jumes in England has been long System as it is known in Hong-

'the weighing of evidence requires training" that, "theoretically, a body of jurymen cannot be grounds. Of three of the four additional points advanced by Mr. certain cases at home a jury of matrons may be impannelled; that

been in existence for so many years, selves on being up-to-date. a much better system would be to have trained legal minds in the trates or assessors, to which refor- know, will do better than we do. ence was made in the course of the interview. Provision could be made shall not know more than we know in the case of a prisoner wishing to or act more wisely than we do. be tried by a jury of his fellows, for this to be done. We should To-day's Poem. hesitate much in agitating for the abolition of any right of the free Most men have their pet virtue, born person to have his privileges. taken from him, but in the present Fanned by a thousand lies. system we cannot find that these alleged rights were either fought for or desired. Our information goes: to show that every man and woman in England and Wales between the age of 21 to 60 possessing property to the extent of £10 freehold or £20 leasehold, or being assessed to the Poor Rate, is liable to serve on the jury in his or her County. Presumably these qualifications carry with them the right to vote in Municipal of Zorro." and possibly Parliamentary elections. In Hongkong the "qualification" is that the juryman must be in receipt of a salary of not less | Shadows." than \$100 per month and have a knowledge of the English language.

Canton Police Powerless.

character. Mr. Kemp admits that of the military in the City of Rams. with army orders to turnish coolies Road, Kowloon, a large quantity merely experimenting with a oneto carry military supplies to the of valuable household furniture cent piece because later on he infront, a party of soldiers were 2.45 p.m. so expert as three judges or three detailed to commandeer earriers one magistrates who are continually morning last week. The military sifting evidence"; He points out press-gang, unable or unwilling to that jurymen do not take notes; spare time in rounding up out-ofworks, surrounded a party of coolies that in cases where a trial is pro- carrying food for the residents at tracted the juror can only get a Tung Shan-some dropped their vague impression of the merits of burdens and made good their the case; and that they are likely escape, but the majority were capto be swayed by the defending for the front. Complaints were Counsel. These and the other made to the police, but no redress important statements made by the was obtained. On Sunday after-Hon. Attorney-General seem to be noon. September 9, a soldier in damning evidence of the weakness uniform shot and wounded with a of the Jury System, but in spite of revolver bullet a Chinese walking past No. 4 Main Police Station. all this Mr. Kemp thinks we should The wounded man ran into the keep to the system "which has station and asked for protection been in existence for so many from his assailants, but was roughly At the moment we are unable to years." On the question of women to pretend he was hurt, although ascertain if the Jury System is a serving as jurors the Hon. the bullet had caused a scalp wound. Chinese. legacy from the little meeting which Attorney-General is against the The assailant, in company with took place a not inconsiderable time idea. He cannot see that the another man, so the story goes, walked past the police station and a development of a system the much good; that he would like to an explanation of his conduct." In and was due here September 20, origin of which is wropt in the see how it works at Home before fact, when one of the policemen has been delayed three days and mists of legal antiquity. The great its adoption is tried in the Colony, plucked up sufficient courage to will not arrive here until Sunday, Charter granted by King John He is against women serving as he make some accompany to soldiers threatened to make some attempt to show his September 23. amongst other things enacted that considers they are probably more fill him with lead if he did not all accused persons should be tried liable than men to reach a concludesist. This incident was witnessed form the China Mail that they have by their peers, and that there was sion from intuition on general to be no imprisonment without lawgrounds apart from the aridance befor Sun Yat-sen when his Kobe office that the N. Y. K. is algrounds, apart from the evidence, police are powerless to prevent the lowing free transportation to and that they are also more inclined so-called soldiers of freedom from Chinese refugees from Yokohama General does not throw much light than men to decide on sentimental ill-treating and attempting to mur. and Kobe to Shanghai and Hongder the very people whom they are kong. presumably paid to protect. It representative and which appears in Kemp "why it is inadvisable to tary leaders in Centon have comseems quite evident that the milipletely usurped the civil authority! and that Dr. Sun Yat-sen is powerwhich has stood the test of time." but not overwhelmingly we think, munity. The commandeering of coolies can be excused on the plea front view of the upper storeys. of military necessity, but attempted murder and defiance of the ordinary rules of Civilization is quite another

more representative legal success. In addition it may be peculiar dress. He admitted that it expected to recover.

added that this is not the Victorian had neither beauty nor obvious Age, but an age in which day by utility. "They do not," he said, day, hour by hour, woman is contained the said or comfortable, but testing her right to be the equal of because they find no reason to after man. Our original entry into this a custom which existed 100 or 150 matter was to suggest that a reform years ago." We believe that the in the local Jury System was needed much farther than a mere 150 years, whereby local executives should but the explanation is true have the right to be heard in favour essence. The only reason for the Criminal Sessions to-day before of temporary exemption from duty dress of the bishops and archbishops the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice and the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice and the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice and the vessel was found to of \$5 will be issued which may be charged for goods to the came. should the sudden exigencies of The dress is not comfortable, it is ing corrosive fluid. He pleaded have her cable entwined around her changed for goods to the same their business demand their whole not beautiful, it is not cheerful, it guilty. attention and thus give them the is simply old. And that is a reason Lai Wing and another man, indicating a rolling movement in the China Mail. right to exemption-not merely on that would carry conviction in no related Mr. Dyer Ball, the Assist- whilst on the sea-bottom. other direction save religion. A ant Attorney General, engaged a personal grounds, but on grounds little more than Job years ago our sampan at Applichau on the even- ings taken by Lieutenant Carmona, that might be considered national, ancestors were still wearing knee- ing of August 9 to go across to Adjutant Harbour-Master, the work | September 16 and 17. We hinted that we felt we could breeches and flounced coats with Aberdeen. A woman and a girl of salvage was put through successmake out a strong case whereby the powdered wigs, etc. But no one were in the sampan and when fully by Sr. Jacob Martins de Carwould think that an adequate reason they reached Aberdeen, Lai Wing valho, Dockyard Manager, of the Jury System as it exists in the

did not state our reasons and there for-bears wished to go on a journey is no need to do so now. We claim they went on horse-back or in a that the Hon. Attorney-General's not follow their example. lumbering stage-coach, but we do various statements prove clearly travel more rapidly and with greater that in spite of the system beiving case. In all ways we pride our Wing and arrested him. secular affairs we look to the future : in religious ones to the post. secular matters we hope that our but the girl was not seriously comparing the influence of the shape of additional judges, magis children will know more than we injured.

(Our Pet Virtue.)

A Truth to please their eyes: To make a screen for their pet vice

appears to be to take care that they

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SHADOWS BEFORE

Coming Events Advertised In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

September 18.—Coronet Theatre; Douglas Fairbanks in "The Mark

September 18.—Star Theatre; Priscilla Dean in "Wild Honey." September 18.-World Theatre: H. B. Warner in "The Haunting

Bandman's Eastern Circuit Comedy | the afternoon of August 17, armed | passage" in Government officials. Company's opening performance with a seach warrant, they entered a and that it has been decided that a He has no voice (there are certain at 9.15 p.m.

AUCTIONS. preferential exceptions) in the September 19.-Lammert Bros. Councils of those who set out to at their Sales Rooms, Duddell St., govern and Ordinance him in the the s.s. "Wah Kiu," noon. September 20.-Lammert Bros., way he shall go, and to all intents

at their Sales Rooms, a large assort- iron. and purposes is considered fit only ment of hardware at II a.m. to serve as a juryman. Verb. Sup. a large quantity of valuable house- Hongkong one-cent hold furniture 2.45 p.m.

A Canton correspondent throws at their Sales Rooms, Daddell he came before the Puisne further light on the growing power Street, the s.s. "Chekiang," 3 p.m. Judge (Mr. Justice Gompertz) The police having failed to comply at 39 Humphreys Bldgs, Hanoi morning, he explained that he was

> MEETINGS. September 19.—Regular monthly meeting of Marine Engineers'

West Point, 5 p m. September 20. — Extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Hide and Leather Co., Ltd., at

67/69, Des Vœux Road, 12.15 p.m. October 2.-Ordinary general meeting of Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd., at Co.'s Offices, 20, Des Voeux Road., 11 a.m.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Renter announces that German marks are now a thousand million to the pound.

During the 48 hours ending ed by a burst dam, is finely pro-September 16, two cases of enteric duced. were notified. Both patients are

The Admiral Oriental Liner President McKinley,"

Our local photographers are hard to beat. One of them, this morning, was seen perched on the top of the Tramway Co.'s motorrepair ladder taking a close-up of the new A. P. C. building. Presumably he was anxious to get a

Chat aged 34, was admitted to Kwong Wah Hospital yesterday ed at the cement works at Hung Lum and had fallen from kong, in favour of a tribunal the innovation either is or is not a audience why clergymen were their received serious injuries, he is Saturday morning in order that fair to hist from the 5th to the 10th harm they can do in a given time;

AN ABERDEEN AMOUR.

TRAGEDY OF UNREQUITED

An unreciprocated "pash" for an Aberdeen sampan girl was the cause which led to Lai Wing's appearance in the dock at the

for walking down Queen's Road apparently made an amorous pro- Naval Yard. Colony should be abolished. We to-day in such a get-up. When our posal to the girl. When his suggestion was flatly turned down he threw something out of a bottle into the sampan and the girl, looking up, got some of it on her forehead. Hearing her cries, Chinese constable chased Lui

The liquid thrown into the sampan had been analysed as sulphuric acid, Mr. Dyer Ball said,

In religious affairs the chief anxiety the form the acid was, it was cap- and referring to the parallel story able of causing harm to the girl if it related in the Book of the "Revelahad got into her eyes, for instance. I tion of St. John the Divine."

Mr. Dyer Ball replied that the Police News. doctor has said it probably would. have blinded her if it had reached her eyes. His Honour: The full penalty

is life, is it not ? Mr. Dyer Ball: Yes.

youth I shall not give such a heavy sentence as I should otherwise. I must sentence you to five years with hard labour.

MERELY MAKING MEDALS.

COUNTERFEITER'S NOVEL PLEA.

Tokwawan is a little village along the road that leads to Kowloon City. When Sergt. Terry and certain house and found a man at "Cabin de Inxe" is only to be used did not hear them come in but kept on deck B is good enough for penalty. plaster mould with a piece of bent

As investigations revealed a September 20.—Lammert Bros., crucible of molten metal and other at "Craig Ryric" No. 13 The Peak, paraphernalia for counterfeiting the man, whose name was September 21.—Lammert Bros., Leung Kong, was arrested. When September 25.—Lammert Bros., at the Criminal Sessions this

tended making medallions. The jury proved incredulous and very quickly brought in a verdict of "guilty". His Honour Guild of China, at Sailors' Home, awarded a sentence of three months' jail.

WILD HONEY

MOVES OVER TO THE STAR

"Wild Honey," the successful film version of Cynthia Stockley's well-known novel, will go over to the Star to-night and to-morrow. . Priscilla Dean has a good part in this romance of the African veldt, and the final scene, where she saves her lover from a flood caus-

the Coronet, and should please Mile. Mudes, Mr. Scott, Mr. Gran-Kowloon audiences.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Colonial Secretary notifies that persons wishing to hand in arms in their possession may if they so wish send them to a Justice of the Peace for transmission to the Police Department.

The Commodore has received from H.M.S. "Tarantula" a report to the effect that the s.s. necessary precautions.

vertisement in another column, as for a few months more. to the collection of secondhand Foundation of the Republic, and clothing at the City Hall, for despatch to the devastated areas in A Chinese man named Lam Japan, we are asked to state that a afternoon. He is a coolie employ- assistance and the Ladies' Com- dent Texeira Gomes's term of office also subsidise schools where the mittee which has the arrangements and of the anniversary of the students show no benefit from the in hand has already received con- Foundation of the Republic, The other day the Archbishop of machinery to the ground, a dist- siderable supplies. It is desired enough in operation to show that Canterbury explained to a Kentish ance of 16 feet. Though he has that gifts may reach the City Hall bution of alms; but the project for a Government and by the amount of the first to least from the fifth to the 10th begin to project for a Government and by the amount of the first to least from the fifth to the 10th begin they can do in a given time.

JOTTING'S FROM MACAO.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

The Sunken Harbour Police

Launch. Harbour Police Launch "Areia to forward same to the China Mail" (afterwards renamed hull no fewer than five times,

After being located by the sound-

One of her guns remained on its base, but the others were washed Theatres, the Coronet, Star and overboard in the storm that pre- World are advised to retain their ceded her sinking. The vessel is now on the slips, and is expected shortly to return to service.

The "Liberal" and Revelation. The Liberal in its English section has published an interesting article different religions of Italy and His Honour asked whether, in Japan upon their respective peoples.

"Hotel do Governo."

Another Chinese, as anonymous as the writers in the Patria, is another guest at this establishment having declined to pay a fine imposed on him for walking about in a too nude state, which he thought was allowable in view of the extreme decolletage in use among civilised European Indies. But he was mistaken, of course.

Democracy and Republicanism! It is learned that legislation has been made in Portuguese India on with his task of scraping out a Bishops. Generals, and Fiscal Mr. T. H. King, prosecuting, said Auditors. For departmental chiefs, he did not allow that the man was district governors, judges and higher keeping ammunition so openly as officials, a single berth cubin on his Counsel stated. Some was Deck C will meet the case, and for hidden in a hox of dry sea-weed. the remaining small fry entitled to The usual notices re the regulations a 1st class passage, an ordinary 1st | were posted on the ship. Mr. King class cabin will have to suffice.

Alt! those airs of India! Where there are the Brahmans (priests, born from the head of Brahma Kshatruias (warriors, born from his chest) Vaicyas (merchants, born from his arms) Cudras (the plebians, born from his feet) and the Pariahs (born whence?).

In Full Swing.

School, largest exclusively Portu- and 206 rounds of ammunition. It guese institution of secondary in- was stated accused was returning tostruction in the Far East, is now his family in the interior. His intenworking at full pressure: The tion was to proceed, without delay, newly opened superior classes in to his home and remain there 6 Portuguese have proved extremely months before returning: topopular to judge from the unpre- America. The man was 60 years cedented number of applications to of age, and had no real knowbe allowed to join them.

Macao Club.

took place at the Macao Club on man in the previous case. The "iturday afternoon, at which the magistrite was asked to take into toreign community was strongly consideration that the accused had represented. Those present includ- been in custody a week. ed the President of the Club, Sr. A fine of \$500 was imposed and Henrique Nolasco, Lieut. F. Dias, Lieut. J. da Costa Siqueira, Mr. "Wild Honey," was popular at and Mrs. Gellion, M., Mme., e tham, Mr. F. Xavier, Sr. Capt. Cardoso, Mr. Julio A. da Silva and many others.

Government House Soirée.

Following the tea-dance at the Macao Club, which continued until 8 p.m., there was a soirée at and Inspector of Public Instruction Government House, at which most of the European community were Portugueaa." If the writer thinks

General Sir Manuel Gomes da Costa K.C.M.G.

Giang" is reported aground at the Costa, K.C.M.G.; returned from regard his argument as shallow. south-east end of Chang Island. Hongkong on Friday. His plans Perhaps the teacher was the inter-Vessels navigating the channel for returning to Portugal via India preter? Payment irrespective of are therefore requested to take the are understood to have been modi- results is not yet a practical proposified, and it is bruited in military tion, we fear, while there are circles that he will either return to efficient schools such as the Pedro With reference to the ad- Portugal direct, or remain in Macao Nolasco Commercial School in

the President.

very gratifying response is being ward for the celebration on the 5th craftsmen's work in Macao and made to the appeal for this form of prox. of the inauguration of Presi- generally discourage trade; must it

Saturday may be free for packing, prox. (Chinais National Holiday) Oh! these priests

WINNERS:

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POSSESSION OF ARMS

TWO CASES BEFORE MR. WOOD.

At the Magistracy, this morning, before Mr. J. R. Wood, Mr. F. C. In-tat-cho, a good fellow but for Jenkin appeared for a Chinese his absent-mindedness, had been returned from America, charged sent to Hongkong to collect an with illegal possession of 820 account of \$552.75 for a certain rounds of revolver ammunition. Chan-tin-cam, and on his return. The defence was that on learning "This is a very serious offence," by mistake, allowed a portion of the of the death of his wife and child His Honour told Lai Wing, "and amount to fall upon the table of a in China, the ccused had decided: the doctor has said that if the acid Fan-tan house-a portion which to return home with his savings of had gone into the girl's eyes it promptly found its way into the \$10,000, which were in drafts on might have blinded her for life. In croupier's drawer. The police, lead banks and were on him when consideration of your comparative moved to pity by his distress, have arrested. The defendant had lived allocated him an apartment at the at 100 Market St. San Francisco, where he had brought the ammunition, no preventative measures having been taken. He had not been searched on the "President Lincoln," on which he arrived here, nor had he been warned of the danger he incurred by passing through Hongkong with the ammunition. He carried the ammunition quite openly in two soap-boxes and made no altempt at concealment. When questioned by the police at the time of the first discovery, he frankly admitted that he had more, September 22.—Theatre Royal; some Chinese police went there on upon the definition of "1st class, learning of the gravity of his offence in view of the new ordina ice, defendant spared no expense in engaging Counsel and His work in a small room at the back. by Governors-General and Pat- Worship was asked to take this into-They slipped in so quietly that he riarchs—while a single berth cabin consideration when imposing a

acknowledged that the defendant

had been perfectly frank. In imposing a fine of \$50 and ordering the confiscation of the ammunition, the magistrate said he had taken into consideration the ex-

pense accused had been put to. FINE OF \$500,

In a second case another returned emigrant, for whom Mr. T. Bennett appeared, was charged with The Pedro Nolasco Commercial unlawful possession of one revolver ledge that he was breaking the law. Counsel thought the police would admit he had made no more . A fea-dance and ma-cheuk party attempt at concealment than the

> the arms revolver and cartridges. were confiscated.

has been abandoned by the Govern-

Did They deserve It?

Educational officials here resent. the attack on the Secretary-General contained in last week's "Seconothat this gentleman's statement "that they speak some incomprehonsible tongue" is refuted by his rejoinder that "however, inter-General Bir Manuel Gomes da preters were not used" we can only Macao more deserving of the help.

of the mother-country. The Government already subsidises an Italian Orphanage which Great preparations are going for- is thus enabled to cut prices of tuition they have received? It

MONEYLENDER STABBED.

SHAUKIWAN ROAD CRIME.

"Neither a horrower nor a lender be" is a piece of Shakespearean advice, the wisdom of which seems to have been well illustrated in a case brought under the notice of the Chief Justice (Sir William Roes Davies K.C.) and a jury at the Criminal Sessions to-day.

The prisoner was a Chinese chauffeur and he was accused of having stabbed an Indian moneylendernamed Palla Singh. Some time last August, it appeared from the Crown case, Palla Singh got judgment against the chauffeur in connection with a debt. The latter got behind with his instalments and while they were discussing the matter on the Shaukiwan road he; is alleged to have stabled the Jodian with some sharp justrument. Two other Chinese who had also had financial transactions with tho-Indian were suspiciously connected with the affair.

Campbell Prosser is appearing for and he was most heroic. He stuck | Premier Yamamoto expresses the defence.

NEW PIRACY LAWS.

WEST RIVER ILLUSTRATION.

An incident which happened on the West River last week is interesting in view of the new piracy laws. The s.s. "Kochow" left Hougkong on Wednesday and at 4 o'clock next morning, as she was approaching Mah Ning, sounds of heavy firing were heard. It was supposed that Mah Ning was being attacked by soldiers and the ship was stopped

Shortly afterwards the firing stopped and the "Kochow proceeded on her way. It was then discovered that the firing had occurred in connection towed by a launch, which had resisted the pirates and beaten them

Under the new piracy regula- Empress of Australia." tions it would have been the " Kochow's" duty to interfere. This would probably have meant heavy loss of life because she carried 400 passengers and it has been proved that a service rifle bullet would pierce her plates at 300 yards. As it was, the launch which was towing the junk was armed with a machine gun and the junk evidently had a big crew aboard.

WHO'S WHO.

LATEST CHINA COAST 'CHANGES.

Mr. R. Kettlewell, from reserve has gone chief officer, "Suiyang." Mr. C. H. Thompson, chief officer, "Shengking," is on reserve. Mr. C. B. Adkins, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Shengking." Captain D. Lupton, from reserve, has gone master, "Tientsin." Mr. T. L. Rassmussen, chief

officer, "Pakhoi," is on leave. Mr. T. McCowat, from reserve, has gone chief officer, "Pakhoi."

Captain C. C. Williams, of the "Woosing," is on reserve. Captain G. D. S. Mills, of the "Whangpu," has gone master, "Woosung."

gone sup'y second officer "Hsin Peking."

Mr. G. Wright has been appointed second officer, "Kwangse."

has gone chief engineer, "Pakhoi." Mr. J. P. Maclachlan, from reserve, has gone third engineer, meteorological bulletins, and in-"Woosung."

"Fuhwo," has gone second officer, autumn moves. "Loongwo." Mr. F. S. Hollingshead, second officer, "Loongwo," has resigned.

has gone second officer, "Fuliwo." Mr. O. V. W. R. Basham, from leave, has gone acting master, "Tungshing." Captain R. W. Bateman, of the

"Tungshing," is on leave. Mr. A. McAlpine, sup'y third engineer, "Esang," has gone acting second engineer, "Kutwo."

Mr. J. J. Robertson, second engineer, "Kutwo," is on leave. Mr. A. Vafiadis, second officer, "Kwangtah," has gone second officer, "Kwanglee."

Mr. E. T. Gorovenco, second officer, "Kwanglee," has gone acting chief officer, "Hsin Kiangteen." Mr. J. S. Soden, chief officer, "Hsin Kinngteen," has gone acting and ankles showing. master, "Kaho,"

Captain F. N. Stokes, of the "Káho," has "Kwanglee."

Mr. A. J. Kalnin, chief officer, Klangfoo," has gone chief officer.

Mr. C. Shepherd, chief officer, "Hacan," has gone chief officer, "Kiangfoo." Mr. H. J. Grehwe, second officer, "Kaho," has gone second officer,

Mr. V. Reinberg has been appointed second officer, "Kaho."

We understand the foundation of the Portuguese Republic is to be spaper La Prensa, who is staying celebrated locally by a ball at the at Deauville. Club Lusitano on October 5.

YOKOHAMA QUAKE.

GALLANT DEEDS SAVE THE SICK.

The following extracts are from a letter written by Miss C. Dalton,

but could ger no further than the scantily provided with food and bottom stair when the whole house | clothing.

down. No one came to help us; financial operations, and for the O. I. Ellis Evidence in support of the they could not I suppose, but we distribution of the essentials of G. T. Edkins had a patient who was nearly well life. great hillock

Then the fires started all round us. My house was burned and the wind was terrible; everything caught fire; the remains of the hospital then went and we had to move all these patients again to a patch of grass which seemed safe (300 yd. away). The fires came nearer and we were being scorched and smoked to death. Finally we got through another hedge and dragged our poor helpless things to another bit of waste ground. Here we stryed with our faces to the ground, for the smoke and cinders were awful and the fires

We felt we would be safe there, | Concluding, Premier Yamamoto | H. A. Nishet but next morning the oil tanks expresses the hope that the lesson [G. E. Ellams burst and caught fire along the will be learned from the disaster, wharf. The burning oil all but and that a supreme effort will be Walter Lang caught us. Captain Robinson made to amend the defects in the cruised about in the burning oil life and thought of the nation: - Surgeon J. B. Barnister, all the morning with only one pro- | Courtesy Daily Bulletin. peller. At one time we thought all was over; then a tug came along and we got clear. The "Empress of Canada" came next day and I got the patients over and here we are, refugees, and being taken to USUAL ANIETY TO RAISE

There is not a building left and the whole formation of the place has cha ged. How we are here I don't know. Thousands must be had was wonderful-Tiny White autumn festival. better now, but the strain of getwas awful.

ARCTIC 'PHONES.

Mr. J. Grossett, from reserve, has SNOW NEWS FOR WANDER-ING LAPPS.

Telephone lines are to be laid to Mr. A. L. Struthers, from reserve, the most northerly portions of Lapland in order that the nomad tribes of Lapps may be given formation of snow conditions, Mr. F. L. Loloe, second officer, when they make their spring and

SHY ANKLE JUDGES.

MEN WHO KEEP THEIR NAMES SECRET.

In a prettiest ankles competition just held at Cookham (Berkshire) flower show, the men judges withheld their names.

Competitors lined up behind a canvas screen with just their feet Possessors of the most shapely ankles were judged to be: I, Mrs. Harvey: 2, Miss Connie Brits; and 3. Miss Francis.

£33,750 JEWELS.

DEAUVILLE WOMAN VISITOR ROBBED.

Jewels, including some, very valuable diamonds, valued at a total of £33,750, were stolen from Mme. de Gainza, the wife of the principal proprietor of the Argentine new-

JAPAN.

PREMIER IN ADDRESS TO NATION.

TOKYO, Sept. 16. In a lengthy statement addressed matron of the Yokohama General to the whole nation, Premier Count Hospital, to a friend in Shanghai. Yamamoto reviews the recent The letter was written on board catastrophe which devastated five the "Empress of Canada" en route | prefectures, readering millions homeless, robbing many of their When the cuthquake came, I was parents and relatives, and comin the attic and dashed downstrirs, pelling them to live amid the ruins

collapsed on top of me. After a Premier Yamamoto congratutime I crawled out and found the lates the people on their presence amah. We got back to the hospit it of mind in the face of a most terriand many of the staff (all Japanese | ble calamity, and he declares that | South China Morning except Miss Dilton and Miss although there were some instances little) were lying in the road, of disorder, peace and order have made my way into the been well maintained.

hospital and found Miss Premier Yamamoto gives details Little, assistant matron, getting of the efforts of the Government | Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang... some of the patients out. Some of ! to ensure supplies and shelter as a the old paralysed ones were thrown, temporary relief, to futher restore on to the roof and we got them communications, to facilitate

to us and helped to move the the deep sense of gratitude of the patients. At last we got them all | Government and people for the into the garden, which was up on a sympathy and help shown by N. S. Brown foreign nations.

> INSURANCE COMPANIES. Premier Yamamoto strongly The Orient Tobacco warns against profiteering and he urges all to be guided by the spirit | Commodore and Mrs. of public service and mutual help, giving as an instance the insurance companies, who, primarily intended for the protection of the public interest, should "show a willingness to sacrifice their own interests and endeavour to the utmost to deserve the confidence

thousands of sufferers." RECONSTRUCTION.

Premier Yamamoto declares that J. M. McHutcheon were quite close to the banks on the reconstruction of a modera every side. It was just a question | capital will be the real test of the | F | W. James whether the bushes would catch. resourcefulness of the Japanese, We left our patients when it seem- which will demand the effort of the ed safe and went down to the har- whole country to create something with an attempt to pirate a junk, bour to see if we could get a mone better and greater than the former to carry our people to the boats. city, for which the Government Finally we did, in the moraing, have assembled the best available and got on board the R.M.S. wisdom and talent in the form of a Commission.

AUTUMN IN PEKING.

MONEY.

PEKING, September 17. It is understood that Chang Hu, Dr. Earle dead. The Messers and Ivys are at a meeting with the Chinese J. C. Taylor on board and really many more bankers held on the 13th inst., pro- 6. W. Sellars than one would have expected. mised to attempt to cause the W. S. Dixon All the passengers have been so amalgamation of the Ninety-Six E. G. England good in giving up their clothes Million Loan and the Consolidated G. H. Piercy and the men have been splendid. Loans if the banks would support W. Schofield The one able-bodied patient we the Government in tiding over the G. T. de Martin......

he is known as and he is with us It is reported that Chang Hu S. E. Nixon Empress still. Last night for the first time | wired to Sir Francis Aglen propos-I got some sleep and feel a little ing this, and also urging that the two drawings of the Ninth Year i ting all the paralysed people along Bonds, which are overdue, be held W. J. Brown "Empress immediately.

Sound financial circles do not believe that Sir Francis Aglen can agree to the proposal, as the Customs receipts are not sufficient for the purpose. If these proposals fail, the H. Spicer

difficulties of passing over the festival will be greatly increased. -Courtesy Daily Bulletin.

ARMED ROBBERY.

CHINESE WOMAN HELD UP YESTERDAY.

The Lapps are scattered over the | Kam Chun, a married woman north of Sweden and Norway and living at No. 11 Lam Kwai Fong, the north-west of Russia. Most of has reported to the police that she H. R. Eorsyth Mr. G. B. Slipper, from reserve, them are found north of the Arctic was held up and robbed of two Miss B. V. Jennings ... circle. They live by fishing and gold bangles value \$80 at 4.40 p.m. on the produce of reindeer herds, yesterday. She states that as she R. M. Chaloner was returning home, in company H. Griffin with her 16 year-old son, from a H. E. D. Adams. ...cv. nvisit to her husband at a matshed Missick Hausen hadden on the billside at Stubbs Road, she Miss. R. Gumbert Audit? whom was armed with a revolver. R. Johnstonelouides The incident occurred about 100 yards from Morrison Hill Gap

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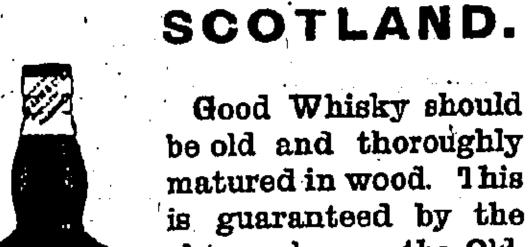
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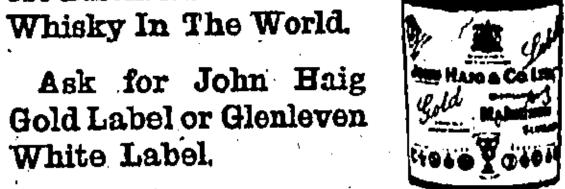
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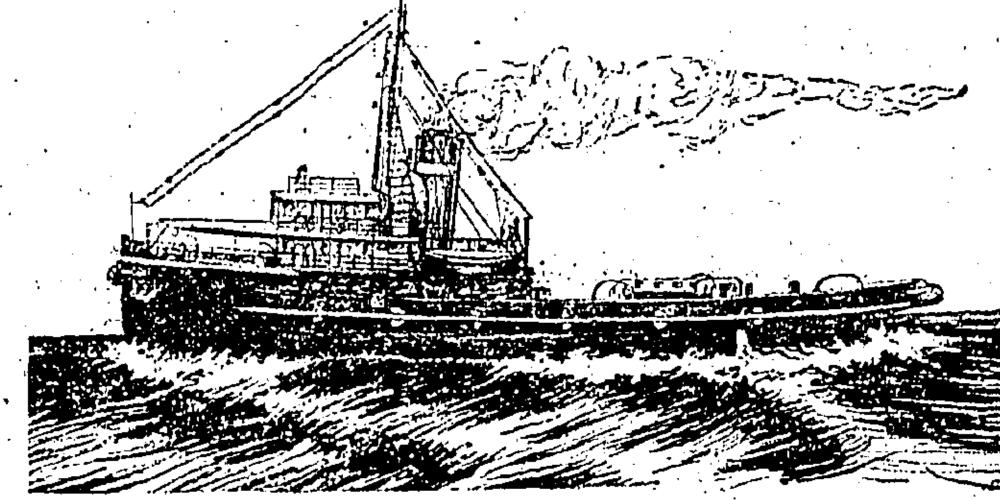
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Express and Telegraph. Originally Japan has completed over a dozen designed to meet the case of such of these above-30-knot ships; the commerce raiders as the "Emden," United States at least four or five; the "Hawkins" class are the latest France is building four light cruiin light cruisers at the moment sers of 34-knot speed and 8,000. with regard to tonnage and arma- tons displacement. In other words, ment. Indeed, the designation other naval Powers have, or will, 'light cruiser" is somewhat of a shortly have, 40 light cruisers capmisnomer. But in speed the "Haw- able of steaming up to 33 knots, kips "and the "Frobisher" come while Great Britain has only two. behind other types of light cruisers building in the United States and in Japan. The "Hawkins" and the "Frobisher" give 31 knots, while the four light cruisers completed for the United States Navy are of for the United States Navy are of hose Keep absolutely quiet for a few.
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This matter of speed is becoming a very serious one. The only 31knot cruisers that Great Britain has got are the "Hawkins," the "Vindictive "-of this class originally, The "Hawkins" class embodies, then converted into an aircraft.

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HONGKONG'S HONOUR.

MR. MOLLER'S CHARGES.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S CRUSHING ANSWER.

From the North China Daily News of September 12 we take the following letter signed by Hongkong's Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, C.M.G., C.B.E. Giving the facts clearly and concisely, this notable statement completely answers Mr. Eric Moller's charges against Hongkong's honour. Following the very emphatic raplies Mr. Fletcher has already given, this letter constitutes the coup de grace for Mr. Moller and finally removes any doubts that may have lingered in the Shanghai public mind. Addressed to the Editor of the North China Daily News, the letter is as follows:-

Sir,-The letters of August 14 and 17, from Mr. Moller and Mr. Burkill, make it evident that their disagreement with the Hongkong Government on the shipping control question is based, to a certain extent at least, upon a misunderstanding, and I therefore ask the hospitality of your columns to explain the situation as the Hongkong

Government sees it. I may in the first place take the opportunity to express the pleasure been requisitioned for Imperiwith which I have read the very kind references to myself in both

I had missed the significance of previous statements regarding the use of the ships in aid or defence of the Colony, but Mr. Moller and Mr. Burkill have now made it clear that they are under the impression that the Governor commandeered them under the Order-in-Council of 1896, which permitted him to "require any person to supply any animals, vehicles, ships, hoats, or it is not the desire of the Governother personal property to the ment to interfere with the nature and decision of His Majesty's Gov-Government, if such property be of it or with your method of con- ernment that shipowners in required in aid of or in connection ducting it except in so far as with the defence of the Colony:" and, being under that impression, Mr. Moller and Mr. Burkill resent that, subject always to the instruct position than shipowners in this the ships, notably the "Wellowra," Committee, you should run your technical reasons, not specially claiming that, although they were vessel as for yourselves, though on affecting Hongkong, that it had ostensibly taken in aid of or in account of the Government, who heen decided not to apply the Imconnection with the defence of the | confidently look to you to conduct | Colony, they were in fact employed the business with as much zeal and Colonies. . . . The Hongkong

making. But the Governor did not requisition the ships: the ships were not taken in aid of or in connection with the defence of the Colony, but were to be used, if not otherwise required, on the owners' ordinary busiof or in connection with the ness: and the Order-in-Council never came into the matter at all. ORGANIZING THE MERCANTILE

MARINE.

As the war progressed, the increasing losses of tonnage emphasized more and more the vital necessity of organizing the British Mercantile Marine, in order to ensure that every ship should be used in the most economical way to meet the most pressing needs, and to enable the Shipping Controller to take with the least possible delay any vessels that might be directly required for war purposes. The Imperial Govern-Requisition Scheme, was applied in the spring of 1918 shortage of shipping for ordinary to all vessels of United Kingdom registry on Indian and Far Eastera Services, as for example the ships of the Indo-China and China Navigation Companies, and was been taken for war purposes, extended in the spring of 1918 to all vessels of Singapore, Hongkong, and Shanghai registry. The Hongkong and Shanghai vessels were requisitioned by the Admiralty, were put under the control of Colonel Thomson as agent for the Controller similarly handed over ships to the Peninsular and Oriental Company and other parties to and machinery on the spot instead reiterated as a result of subsequent of sending out men who already had more work than they could cope with at home.

The Hongkong Government higher or lower than that of comof 1918, a most critical period in the owned in the United Kingdom. war-without argument as to the The rates to be paid were legal authority under which the known as Blue Book rates. Imperial Government was acting, with Eastern allowance, and and, when the owners' solicitors the adequacy of this payment asked what the authority was, the in ordinary circumstances may be Singapore action did not reach the Hongkong Government, not know- judged in the light of Mr. Buring the answer, referred them to kill's admission that the Hongthe Imperial Government, stating kong Government gave that it was managing the ships on \$15,010 a month for the "Patriot," Hongkong Government's policy. The Expert Advertisers & Bill Poster, hehalf of and under instructions which at date of requisition wah from the Imperial Government. chartered for \$12,000 a monts.

The Hongkong Government cannot agree that any owner suffered loss as a result of the Scheme. It has been pointed out in my report that Mr. Moller received between \$300,000 and \$400,000 in respect of the broken charter of the "Castlefield," and that Mr. Burkill inevex claimed any loss in respect of his ships.

THE LESS FAVOURABLE TREATMENT.

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Requisition Scheme, as regards the Imperial Government.

hoth vessels registered at home and 1 THE INDEMNITY ORDINANCE. With regard to the Indemnity Ordinance: Mr. Burkill asks why, when the owners brought their is quoted in full by Mr. Moller in action in December, 1919, did not his recent letter:—"It has been the Hongkong Governor non-suit them by defending the action and ment control all steamers flying proving that it should have been brought against the Imperial Government. This is exactly the course services and which are which the Hongkong Government proposed, but the Imperial Government decreed otherwise. Mr. in London. Your vessel will be Burkill was personally informed brought under Government ret at the Colonial Office that "the quisition and control, similar to Indemnity Ordinance was not a device of the Hongkong Government to meet their own special intended that so far as practicable, difficulties, but was passed on the instructions of His Majesty's Goverament, as similar Ordinances account. . where your business! were passed in Colonies similarly is that of a regular established line, situated, and were intended to carry out the deliberate intention Hongkong and elsewhere in the national interests might require. Colonies must not be placed in . . The general intention is any way in a more favourable perial Indomnity Act to the solely for purposes of profit care as if your own interests were Ordinance was a piece of Inperial policy . . and it was

inconceivable that it should who quotes these instructions disallowed." should surely have realized, that Mr. Burkill objects to the use of there was no suggestion that the the "Wollowra" on the Singaporeships were commandeered in aid Rangoon run at \$110,000 a month and he states that the right course defence of the Colony, I think would have been to hand the ship that Mr. S. T. Williamson, Chairback to the original rice charterers man of the Shipowners' Protection at \$51,000 a month. But, in ac-Association, will bear me out when cordance with the Imperial Govern- Mr. Chin Tin-cho for \$13,000. I say that the Government gave all ment's instructions, the owners information in its possession to were to run the ship as if for themevery inquirer, without reserve; selves: the owners introduced and and perhaps, if Mr. Moller and Mr. pressed for acceptance of the Burkill had been resident in the \$110,000 charter, wishing no doubt Colony at the time, there would to get their 5 per cent. commission the word in immediately." He have been no misunderstanding on the larger instead of on the smaller sum: other arrangements Scheme, the method of requisition. had been made for the necessary supply of rice: and the Singa- important word 'almost.'" The pore-Rangoon charter enabled the word "almost" does not occur in Hongkong Government both to the published report of Mr. Moller's comply with a request from the speech, and I take exception to his As regards the financial side of ment accomplished this end the question: the continual (take) coolies to mine tin for war pur- omitting it upon me. Singapore Government to supply action in putting the blame of

ing of vessels for war purposes poses, and also to keep open the resulted in an ever increasing important Rangoon connection. A SINGAPORE ACTION. trade, and freight rates soared Mr. Moller and Mr. Burkill refer rapidly. The Imperial Governto a suit successfully brought by the Eastern Steamship Company in | that owners, whose ships had not Singapore against the Government of the Straits Settlements: they should reap the benefit of a rise in describe this action as being prices, which was due solely to the similar to the "Wollowra" action: and they suggest that the decision peting ships and was not the result in Singapore influenced of individual enterprise, and it decreed that there should be policy as to the Indemnity Ordinance in Hongkong. There equality of treatment for all. All Shipping Controller, and were to be paid on the same basis, handed over to the Hongkong Government to manage. The Shipping to profit at the expense of the Controller similarly handed over their vessels under the Liner Re- was mannesuy right and in the ground on Saturday afternoon interests of the Empire as a whole. ground on Saturday afternoon with a others. The Hongkong Government was not asked to express an thereupon requisitioned them with Barkill have! Their ships did not opinion on this matter. It was demanage; making use of the men finitely ordered, and the point was an intimation that they would be reiterated as a result of subsequent representations, that the remuneration of the ships which it manual management; and the Court found that they would be removed from the Company's management; and the Court found that they would be removed from the Company's management; and the Court found that they would be removed from the Company's management; and the Court found time, but were acquired after the outbreak of war, and why should that this expropriation, in the form they would be removed from the Court found time, but were acquired after the outbreak of war, and why should that this expropriation, in the form they would be removed from the court found time, but were acquired after the outbreak of war, and why should the court found that they were acquired after the outbreak of war, and why should the court found that this expropriation, in the form the court found that they were acquired after the outbreak of war, and why should they, secure from the perils of the court found that they would be removed from the court found that they were acquired after the outbreak of war, and why should they, secure from the perils of the court found that they would be removed from the court found that they would be removed from the court found that they would be removed from the court found that they would be removed after the court found they would be removed after the court found that they would be removed after the court found they would be removed after the court found that they would be removed after the court found they would be removed after the court found they would be removed from the court found they would be removed after the court found they would be removed after the court found they would be removed after the court found they would be removed from the court found they would be removed after the court found they would be removed to the court found representations, that the remuneraged must not be appreciably in which it was carried out was not in exercise of any of the obeyed orders—it was the spring peting vessels registered and powers conferred upon the Governor, In Hongkong no owner refused to run his ship under the

Hongkong Government until some

months after the Indemnity Or-

dinance was decided upon, and the

was not affected thereby in any

way whatsoever.

LAWN BOWLS.

SHANGHAI MEN LOSE TO K.C.C.

At the Kowloon Cricket Ciub yesterday the honie ream defeated Shanghai at Lawn Bowls by the narrow margin of one.;

nevertheless towards the end, when The Hongkong Government has both teams were practically runfrom the commencement main- ning level, the close finish provided remaining nine teams entered for tained the position that most of some excitement. For the first four the local owners received less heads Shanghai did not score a favourable treatment than was ac- point whilst their opponents had perial Scheme, for the reason that for the next seven heads Shangha the locally managed vessels were had it all their own way, the tenth worth, C.M.G., D.S.O., and a numfor the most part older than com- head giving them a "bunch" of peting ships and cost more in shots-six. At the end of the marine risk insurance, coal, and eleventh they had drawn level. epairs, and in maintenance gen- Kowloon took the next two heads, erally. The Imperial Government giving them another five points way (goal); Lieut. Walsh, Gnr. has informed the owners that it is (17-12). At the 16th head Shang- Hitchias (backs) L.-Br. Wood (halfprepared to receive further repre- hai, with four shots, took the lead back); Gar. Polton, Gar. McDade, sentations under this head, but ic for the first time (19-17). At the Tr. Collyer (forwards). has warned them that any conces- very next head, there was another The Rest:-Pte. Osborne (goal); sion which the Hongkong Govern- change, Kowloon getting four shots Cpl. Percy, Pte. Profitt, (backs); ment may wish to suggest must be in, giving them the lead again by Ptc. Potter (half-back); Ptc. reviewed at home by the various two points (21-19). Two points for Hughes, L.-cpl. Parry, L.-cpl Paul departments interested in the mat- | Shanghai at the next head made it (forwards), ter, before any undertaking can be a tic (21 all). At the nineteenth With the exception of Percy

> KOWLOON C.C. SHANGHAI. · Poignand Shaw Tomlinson. Cheetham The progressive scores were:

KOWLOON C.C. SHANGHAL head. Shots. Total. Shots. Total.

LAND SALES.

SITES AT POKFULUM.

and were sold as follows:—

the use which was made ofcertain of tions of the Shipping Control Country. . . . It was only for \$41,350 square feet, annual rental lower the colours of the 88th, com-\$486, upset price \$46,139. Sold to pany which, for the second year in Mr. Chan Hung for \$44,600.

> Mr. Chan Hung for \$57,400. \$438, upset price \$41.514. Sold to how gratified he was to learn of Mr. Li Hoi-ting for \$11,100.

> 10,160 square feet, annual rental the players on the fine display of \$34, upset price \$3,502. Sold to "clean" polo which they had ex-Mr. Chan Sau-fung for \$7,500.

\$86. upset price \$8,283. Sold to ber of the team.

Mr. Moller calls me to task for close. criticizing in my report his use of claims that he used the expression 'almost immediately" and that ! "omitted and overlooked the all

NO SHIELDING.

It has been suggested that the and Newsholme each scored a Hongkong Government is shield- point. ing itself behind the Imperial Government in the sense that it admits that some injustice has been done, for which however the Imperial Government is to blame. The Hongkong Government King's A. and B. respectively. shields itself behind nobody. It has published a plain statement of facts and it now adds the expression of its opinion that, so far was manifestly right and in the

war in far-off Shanghai, be chosen out from all other British shipowners to reap the results of others'

sacrifices? Hongkong, Sept. 6, 1923.

Liner Requisition Scheme, and the Governor nover requisitioned a single vessel. Details of the

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GASCOIGNE CUP.

PRIZES PRESENTED LAST EVENING.

[By Argus.]

At the R.A.S.C. camber last evening, a capital display of water polo was witnessed when the 88th. Though the game was ragged, Co. R.G.A., winners for the second year in succession of the Gascoigne Cup, met a team chosen from the the competition. Major-General Sir John Fowler, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., the G. O. C. China Command, accompanied by his daughters, Lieut-Colonel R F.A. Butterber of other officers were interested spectators of the game. The teams were:

88th Co. R.G.A.: Sergt. Hollo-

and twentieth heads Kowloon (R.A.M.C.) all the players were Referee:-Mr. J. Finch.

THE GAME.

The R.G.A. pressed from the start and, from a pass by Wood, McDade sent over the bar. A foul against the Rest gave Wood an opening which he was not slow to take advantage of (I-0 in favour of R.G.A.). A minute later the same player, from a long throw of Hitchins, put the R.G.A. two points up (2-0). The Rest now began to show better combination and Hughes, with a long cross-shot from the right wing, opened the score for the Rest (2-1). When the whistle sounded for the interval, the Rest were doing most of the

attacking. From the restart, a fine individual run by McDade for the gunners looked dangerous, but he shot straight at the goalie. The Rest returned to the attack and Hughes made matters equal with rather a soft shot. After a corner to the R.G.A., which was cleared, Mc-Dade secured the ball and ended up a fine individual effort by scoring the most spectacular goal of the match. A tremendous tussle now ensued and just on the stroke of time Profitt scored and the game resulted in a draw of 3 goals each.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS. A move was then made for the hig lighter to witness the presenta-

tion of the cup and medals. Col. Butterworth, in a few introductory remarks, dwelt on the excellent display witnessed in the Five lots of Crown land at final game and congratulated the Pokfulum were auctioned by Mr. 88th, company in retaining their Parker Rees yesterday afternoon, unbeaten record. Ten teams, he said, had taken part in the competi-Rural building lot 230, area tion but not one had been able to succession, had deservedly won Rural building lot 232, Area the trophy. He then asked 24,440 square feet, annual rental Sir John to present the Cup to \$84, upset price of \$8,143. Sold to Lance-hombardier Wood and hand the medals to the individual mem-Rural building lot 231, area bers of the team. Sir John, in a 127,120 square feet, annual rental few appropriate sentences, said the healthy rivalry the competi-Rural building lot 233, area tion had evoked and congratulated hibited in the final contest. He Rural building lot 234; area then handed the Cup to Lcc-Br. 24,870 square feet, annual rental Wood and a medal to each mem-

Three hearty cheers for the GO.C. and Col. Butterworth, the officer in charge of garrison athletics, brought proceedings to a

GAME AT V.R.C.

At the V.R.C. swimming pool last night the King's A, and B. teams played a draw of 2 goals each in the Hongkong Water Polo League. At half-time the seniors were I-nil, Jones being the scorer. Early in the second half, Osborne put the A. team 2 goals up. The juniors then rallied and Hughes

Mr. R. Witchell was in charge of

As neither the R. G. A. (B.) nor L. R. C. put in an appearance, they forfeit the points to the

CRICKET.

H.K.C.C. IST. TRIAL MATCH ON SATURDAY.

On the Hongkong Cricket Club next, the season will open with a trial match between teams cap-

Bowker, E. G. England, W. Galloway, A.K. Mackenzie, M. M. Mass, D. B. Peat, T. R. Riddle, H. Spicer, R. F. Walker, J. R. Way and R. H. Wild. H. E. Holland (capt.) T. G.

Dean, E. R. S. Dods, W. Hatters- Science. ley Smith, T. King, W. W. Mackenzie, G. R. More, G. H.

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OBITUARY.

REV. E. J. ELLISON.

The English Baptist Mission has tained by Mr. McNicoll and Mr. sustained a great loss by the death the memory of a true Christian on September 2 from tuberculosis (gentleman, and many of his of the Rev. E. J. Ellison B.S.c, at | friends in various parts of China the age of 36.

Mr. Ellison was born in India the son of missionary parents, and day, by a strange and sad coinwas educted at the school for the cidence, Mr. Ellison passed away. sons of missionaries at Blackheath. Later he studied at Liverpool Bennett, J. P. Bridger, A. V. T. University, where he graduated in

He came to China in 1908, and Piercy, A. R. F. Raven, M. M. was for a few years located in Shensi, where with several of his

He was afterwards transferre d to Shangtung to do the special educational work for which he was peculiarly fitted. His colleagues will long cherish

will join them in respectful sympathy with the widow and with the little boy on whose second birth-

CHANGSHA OCCUPIED.

Peking September 17. Chao Umpires and Scorer. E. J. R. colleagues, his life was in peril Heng-ti's troops occupied Chang-Mitchell, R. E. A. Webster and H. during the early stages of the first sha on the 14th. The fighting was not serious.—Reuter.

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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS AND Nov. 1.—B. B. Logazpi. 1.—B. F. Eurypyl 2. P. & O. Kalyan. 2.—P. & O. Chlodon	Roy, 1.—0.P.B. Empressof Asia.	30.—P. & O. Boudan.	Sept, 18d. 11h. 31m.—Pressure is	VOTING CONTEST.
ANDJECTED DEPARTURE: 3,—B, F, Atrous. 9,—P, & O. Nelloro 6,—B, F, Toiresia: 10,—E, A. Chile	4.—N.Y.K. I 70 Maru. 17.—C.P.S. Empress of Canad 29.—C.P.S. Empress of Russi 20.—B. F. Proitesians.	30.—0. S. K. London Meru. Oct. 2.—G. L. Pombrokechiro. 4. = 0.P.S. Empress of Russia. 5.—P. & O. Mantaa. 6.—B. F. Ixion.	highest over the Yellow Sea. It is nearly stationary over Formosa and the Philippines and has increased slightly at the majority of other re-	
13.—B. F. Adrastu: 14.—P. & O. Sicilia) 16.—P. & O. Malwa. 20.—B. F. Machaot 20.—B. F. Oanfa.	Jan. 8.—B. F. Philoctotes. VICTORIA.	9. B. F. Agapenor. 10.—N.Y.K. Hakozaki Maru. 18.—B. F. Phemius. 19.—P. & O. Karmala.	porting stations. There are now signs of a depression to the East of the Philippines this morning.	
10.—I.O.S.M. Kwongmang, 24.—P. & O. Nyanza. 20.—C. N. Shantung. 30.—P. & O. Kalyan. 20.—C. N. Chusan. Dec. 11.—B. F. Sarpedou		23.—P. & O. Sicilia. 26.—B. F. Elpenor. Nov. 2.—P. & O. Caledonia. 3.—B. F. Atreus.	Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.38 took., Total since January 1st. 83.87 inches, against an average of 72.08 inches.	WHAT ARE THEY?
11.—I.O.S.N. Yusang. 12.—E. A. Malaya. 21.—D. L. Haiching. 13.—P. & O. Soudan. 21.—C. N. Soochow. 14.—P. & O. Devanha 23.—I.O.S.N. Fooshing. 23.—O. S. R. Kaijo Maru. 28.—P. & O. Kaiser I.	Y Lopez. Tyndarous.	3.—P. & O. Nelloro. 6.—B. F. Teiresias. 10.—E. A. Ohilo. 11.—G. L. Glenluco.	Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on to tember 19, 1923. 1—Formosa Channel, E. winds. moderate; fair.	CHINA MAIL'S THIRD BIG EVENT.
23.—I.O.S.N. Hangsang. 25.—O. N. Kwangtung. 25.—D. L. Haihong. 28.—I.O.S.N. Vatabing. 13.—B. F. Patrociu 11.—P. & O. Khiva. 15.—E. A. Asia. 25.—P. & O. Macodon	6.—A. O. L. Free, Grant. 20.—B. F. Proteslaus. Dec. 18 — R. F. Achilles.	13.—B. F. Adrastus. 16.—P. & O. Maiwa. 24.—P. & O. Soudan. 24.—P. & O. Nyanza. 24.—B. F. Machaon.	2 — cours coust of China between dengkong and Lamcoks. E. winds, moderate; fair. 2 — Hongkong to Car Rock. E. win ds	This week the China Mail's voting
98.—I.O.S.N. Tungshing. 27.—O.S.K. Soshu Maru. 20.—O. S. K. Suma Maru. Oct. 4.—O.S.K. Sourabaya Maru. Peb. 8.—P. & O. Kashgar 22.—P. & O. Kashgar Mor 7.—P. & O. Kasmala 21.—P. & O. Naldera.	SEATTLE. Supt. 19.—A.O.L. Pres. Medison.	14.—B. F. Machaon. 30.—P. & O. Kalyan. Dec. 11.—B. F. Sarpedon. 12.—E. A. Malaya. 14.—P. & O. Devanha.	moderate; fino. 4.—ponth coast of China between Hongkong and Halman. E. winds, moderate; fair.	contest takes a new form. What are Hongkong's ten greatest needs? Name
AMOY. Sept. 19.—D. L. Halforng. Apr. 4.—P. & O. Dolta. 18.—P. & O. China. May 2.—P. & O. Kalyan. 16.—P. & O. Kashmir.	26.—B. F. Phioetotos. 27.—B. F. Tyndarous. Oct., 1.—A. O. L. Pros. McKinley. 3.—O. B. K. Arabia Maru. 13.—A. O. L. Pros. Jackson.	18.—P. & O. Kaiser-I-Hind.		them in their order and win our \$50 prize.
19.—C. N. Kanchew. 21.—D. L. Haiching. 93.—U. S. K. Knijo Maru. 25.—C. N. Liangchow. 25.—D. L. Haibong. MANILA		95.—P. & O. Macedonia. Feb. 8.—P. & O. Kashgar. 12.—P. & O. Morea. Mar. 7.—P. & O. Karmala.	HONGKONG.	Twenty different urgent local needs are named below. Select the ten you
27.—O. B. K. Soshu Maru. 30.—O. B. K. Suma Maru. Oct. 4.—O. S. K. Sourabaya M. 21.—I.O.S.N. Wingsan 22.—A.O.L. Pres. Mc	Dec. 18.—B. F. Protosilaus. Dec. 18.—H. F. Achilles. Jan. 8.—B. F. Philostotes.	11.—P. & O. Naldera. Apr. 4.—P. & O. Delta. 18.—P. & O. China. May 2.—P. & O. Kalyan.	DAILY WEATHER REPORT.	consider the most popular and write them out in the order of your choice. Then out the form out and send it to the "China Mail" office marked "Yote." The list which comes nearest the correct solution as decided by the general
FOOCHOW. Sept. 19.—D. L. Haifoong. 11.—D. L. Haifoong. 28.—T.K.K Taiyo M. 28.—N.Y.K. Tango b. 28.—N.Y.K. Tango b. 28.—N.Y.K. Tango b. 28.—U.S.S.B. West Ca. Oct. 4.—A. O. L. Pres. Jan	LOS ANGELES. tus. kson. Oct. 1.—U.S.S.B. West Carmons.	HAVRE.	SEPTEMBER 18, 1923,—a.m. Wind	The contest lasts from Monday to Saturday. The result will be announced in the "China Mail" on the succeeding Wednesday, when the winner's name will be announced to the winner's name will be announced.
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25.—C. N. Liangchow. 25.—N.Y.K. Harona Maru. 25.—P. & O. Gracchus. 26.—I.C.S.N. Yatshing. 19.—N.D.L. Ludwigs 19.—B. B. C. Lopez Jan. 11.—H.A.L. Rheinlan Feb. 28.—H.A.L. Vogtland	VALPARAISO, VIA JAPAN, HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISC	DUNKIRK. Oct. 9.—B. F. Agapenor.	Kagoshima	Members of the "China Mail" staff are debarred from entering the contest.
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In 1915, after his first wife had divorced him; the late John D. Spreckles, Jr., of Sm Francisco, member of the fabulously wealthy sugar family, married Sidi Wirt, a Kansas ranch girl. He was killed in 1921, in an automobile accident, while his second wife's divorce suit was pending. Now comes word that Sidi Wirt Spreckles has married Prince Sued Chakir, head of one of the richest and most influential families in Turkey, with a wonderful pilite over-looking the Bosphorus; in Constantinople.



Dr. Louis Freedman, showing the strain of 26 hours' continuous work on a chemical experiment performed for the Government in its suit to recover German chemical and dye patents, reached Albany, N. Y, just in time for his wedding to Miss Bertha Gallup. Dr. Freedman, in time for the nuptials.



Several months ago, Joe and Roland Delafusse. II and 9 years old respectively, asked their father to loan them \$50 with which to establish a juvenile sporting goods store in Rockville Centre, Long Island, their suburban home. The little shop was opened in the family garage, and the youngsters have managed so well they have \$1,000 in the bank, together with a large stack of goods. They are shown making sales in their little store.



Purposely run down by an automobilist because she had refused to take a ride with five strange men, pretty Myrtle Kaiser was found unconscious in a roadway in Baltimore. She is seriously in-



Mary Helene Chadwick, known on the screen as Helene Chadwa wick, charges desertion in her divorce suit, in a Los Angeles courts against William Wellman. She asks that her maiden name be restored. This is her latest photograph.



Women are becoming important factors on the American turf, especially so since legalized betting a witness in Washington, asserted, contrary to defence witnesses, on races has been prohibited and the "Sport of Kings" has been placed on a higher basis. Mr. W.K. Vanderthat it was possible to make drugs from the German formulae without bilt 2d has just begun the purchase of a large stable of races to carry her colourf, as has Mrs. Henry Carnegie secret instructions. He was ordered to do so, despite the fact that his Phipps. Mrs. Payne Whitney, of New York, is already owner of one of the best strings on the American wedding was at hand. He produced the drug, jumped into a taxicab, turf, while Mrs. George W. Loft, Woman Deputy Police Commissioner of New York, wife the millio raire rushed to the Washington depôt, caught his train and reached Albany candy manufacturer, has several fast horses herself, as has Mrs. Cary Grayson, wife of Admiral Grayson, President Wilson's physician.



hody was found in her home, in Frederick, Miryland, on June 18, with a bullet in her brain, the coroner declared it was a plain case of suicide. The young woman's family, however: began aninvestigation. At second inquest Mer Grace Kepman physicians asserted it would have

been impossible for Mrs. Kepner to have fired the fatal shot. Testimony was introduced by Miss Lulu Ricketts, alleged affinity of B. Evard Kepner, the husband, that on several occasions he had urged her to run away with him. Kepner admitted his relations with the other woman and declared his wife knew nothing of it. He asserted he had been happy with his wife, and she trusted him. He added Mrs Kepner was a victim of melancholla and only the day before her death prayed she might die. The Grand Jury, however, found a true bill against him, charging murder in the first degree. Kepner is shown here with his attorneys, Leo Weinberg (left) and Guy K. Motter.

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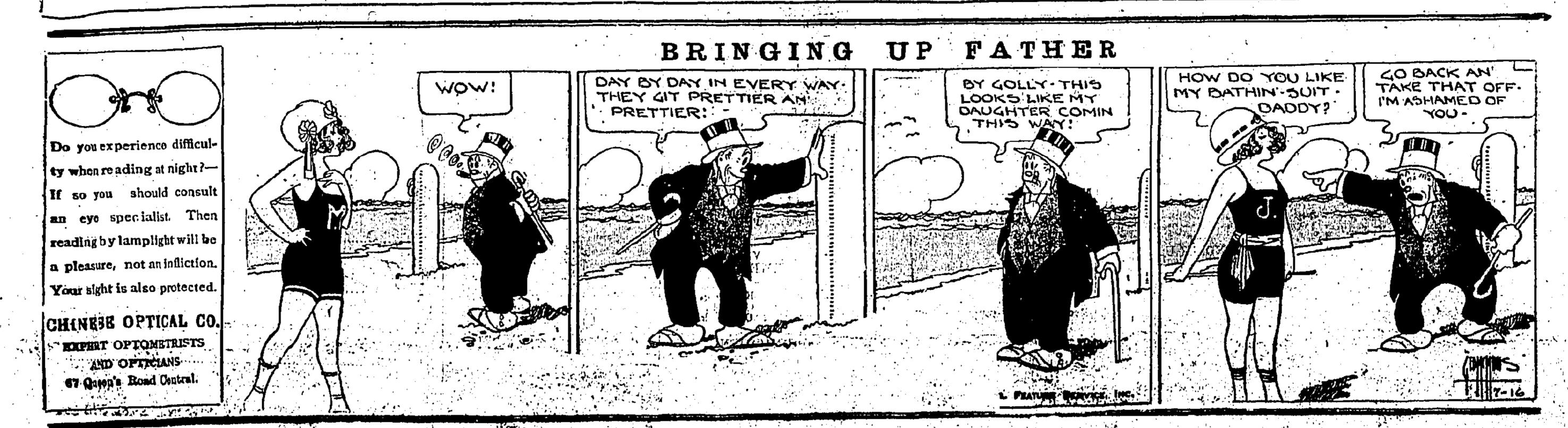
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BARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Renter's Service to the China Mail.) CONDITIONS'IN FIUME.

ROMB, September 16. The Government of Finne has

resigned. stituent Assembly of Figure has proclamation by Governor Walton

sistence. settlement of the Fiamo question, Legislature have planned to kidnap and in view of the abnormal situa- him. An attempt is to be made to tion there as revealed in the letter impeach him at the extra session of of Signor Depoli, Vice-President of the Legislature. Governor Walton the Constituent Assembly, the threatens to imprison all members Italian Cabinet has decided to of the Legislature who attempt to appoint General Giardine as Mili- hold an extra session and also tary Governor, with authority to threatens military censorship of the carry on the administration. The press. decision has been communicated to the Government at Belgrade and all. te Powers.

MUSSOLINIS ACTION.

Lordon, September 17. action in appointing a Military which, according to a Sofia message, Governor of Finne, which the the Jugo-Slav Government has Rawallo Trenty prescribed should addressed to Bulgaria; threatening be a Free State, was quite un-the dispatch of troops to occupy expected in London, where the strategic points in Bulgaria if the general impression was that Signor bands of Comitadji concentrated in Mussolini had thought better of the Bulgarian territory attempt to cross threat implied in the so-called ulti- the frontior. The action has caused to matum, which reserved the right of the greatest alarm, in Solia partifull liberty of action if the question cularly, as it has been accompanied was not settled by the 15th inst. by a disquieting concentration of There is reason to fear that the Jugo-Slav troops on the frontier. latest move will mean a renewed crisis between Rome and Belgrade. Latest advices represent Finns to be in complete control of the Italians, who have most formidable forces in the near vicinity.

OCCUPA ION OF RUHR.

Paris, Scotember 17. Devoting his speech at Briedle-: sur-Mense to the question of security, M. Poincaré said that Ger-1 thought were alluring promises to be a case of subotage. from which she expected marvels, i He proceeded emphatically to reject the German suggestion for a general page whereby the Powers, including : Germany, would guarantee the Five thousand are reported miss-Rhine frontiers, as a same and a ing in the city of Tottori as a result Banks. delusion. He declared France of serious floods, due to a typhoon. would keep the sureties given by treaty and not be eaught by trickery or lured by decoys. Incidentally, he reasserted that as Germany had not executed any clauses of the Treaty of Versailles, trip across Canada, has arrived at the prescribed periods for the his ranch in Calgary, where his holioccupation of the left bank of the dv. to be spent in fishing, riding and Rhine had not yet begun to run.

MAYENCE, Soptember 17. The Inter-Allied Rhineland High Commission has decided to allow free traffic between the occupied Rhineland and unoccupied Germany from to-day.

SPANISH REYOLT.

Madrid, September 16. The King has signed the decree! dissolving Parliament. London, September 17.

correspondent at Madrid, De Rivera with the King. foreshidowed the launching of a big offensive in the Melilla zone in. Morčeco, probably within a week, with 150,000 Spanish troops. Hell declared the new Parliament to be elected would draft a new constitu- loverwhelming unijority, has passed tion and stated it was intended to a resolution reaffirming faith in raise a National Guard of 450,000 non-violent non-co-operation and responsible citizens, called, not Gandhi's programme, as the only ex-Promier Prieto.

Ginkautan, Septémber 17. south-eastward of Gibraltar. The intention by entry into the Councils vessel was detained 21 hours, while was to create deadlocks and deprive she was searched, and finally allowed to proceed.

THE FARCICAL MARK.

Currency conditions grow daily expected to be keen. more fantastic. Millions of hundred-million mark notes were issued on Saturday, and five-hundred-million mark notes are due to-day. The milliard note cannot be long delayed. Everybody is now n billionaire: even beggars indignnutly reject proffered hundred-thousand mark notes. Special trains; motor-lorries and acroplanes daily carry huge sums throughout the Reviewing the outlook he declared country. Aeroplanes are being used that no Government had ever such to dump billions in the Ruhr, evad- takes into so short a period. ing the frontier guards.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

KU KLUX KLAN.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 17. Martial law has been enforced throughout the State and the mili-The Vice-President of the Con- tary have taken control following a sent a letter to the Italian Govern- in response to a challenge by the ment, complaining of the evil Grand Dragon of the Ku Klux Klan effects of the long delay in softle, who declared that the state authoriment between Italy and Jugo- ties would never be able to break up Slavia, stating that the people are the power of his Organisation. becoming exasperated and mein- The proclamation declared that ployment is rife: therefore, con-limiteds of men and women had timuance in office would be useloss. Theen soverely beaten in Oklahoma The Government's resignation and that the Klan was responsible will mean that there will be no for the outrages. It is alleged that authority in Finne, and by the end the police and shoriffs and even of the month the city will be com- some of the Judges of the District pletely deprived of means of sub- Court are shielding Klansmen. An armed bodygnard has been formed GOVERNOR APPOINTED. Ho protect Governor Walton as it is It is announced that pending a alleged that several members of the

EUROPE'S AILMENT.

Loxpon, September 17. The possibility of fresh troubles Premier. Mussolini's sensational in the Balkans is revealed in a Note

COCAINE FROM HONGKONG.

· Calcurra, September 17. Cocaine to the value of £2,600 has been discovered by the Customs aboard a stermer from Hongkong. 'after a five days' search during which three hundred tons of coal was shifted.

DUTCH TRAIN DISASTER.

AMSTERDAM, September 17. A train of 64 empty tracks set in monty, who in a few years could motion at Kaldenkirchen crashed appear before them believed and into the station at Venloo. Conarmed ready for revenge, is to-day siderable damage was done but there whispering words, which she were no casualties. It is thought

> و المستخدم المارية الم FLOODS IN JAPAN.

OSAKA, September 17.

THE PRINCE IN CANADA.

ZAGHLUL'S RETURN.

The precuntionary measures were most efficient and the crowds were diverted into side streets. Interviewed by the Daily Express | Zaghlul to-day, has an audience

INDIAN NATIONALISTS.

DELIII, September 17. The National Congress, by an Pascisti, but Someten. Proceed- method to win self-government, but ings have been instituted against removing the ban against entry into the ex-Foreign Minister Alba and the legislatures and permitting followers of Das to contest impend-

ing elections. The Norwegian steamer "Salva- Both sections supported the comtor," which has been engaged in promise, in order to rid the counsalvaging the Spanish battle try of the dissensions, which are "Espana," has arrived and reports threatening to break the Nationalist that a Spanish armed usval trawler movement by growing Hindu-Muslim fired on the vessel twenty miles conflicts. Das declared the only

> Despite the Congress's permission, it is unlikely that the Swarajists will capture a substantial number of sents, but the contest is

Remarking that Mr. Bonar Law's colleagues did not inspire much confidence, Mr. Lloyd George, renewed his pledge not to indulge in facetious criticism of the new Ministry. There would be "discriminating and helpful crificism."

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has been suggested that the appoint-

ment of Sir Hugo represents a valu-

able British point at the expense of

America, and that British interests

are still further strengthened by the

alleged controlling power of the

Imperial Tobacco Co, over the

British-American Co. Sir Hugo

Cunliffe-Owen, however, has ex-

plained in an interview that wrong

conclusions had been drawn from

"There has been no fight for con-

trol at all," he said, "Mr. Duke has

been a great friend of us. all for

many years, and we are all sorry

he has getired. But for some years

he has been expressing a desire to

retire in order to enjoy a little

leisure. We have always asked him

to stay on, but now he prefers to

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ficance whatever, and certainly can-

not disturb the harmony that exists.

Whatever feud may have been in

existence 20 years ago, consequent

on the enterprise of Mr. Duke and

the reply of the British companies.

"What is the relation of the Im-

perial Tobacco Company to the

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"The Imperial," he replied,

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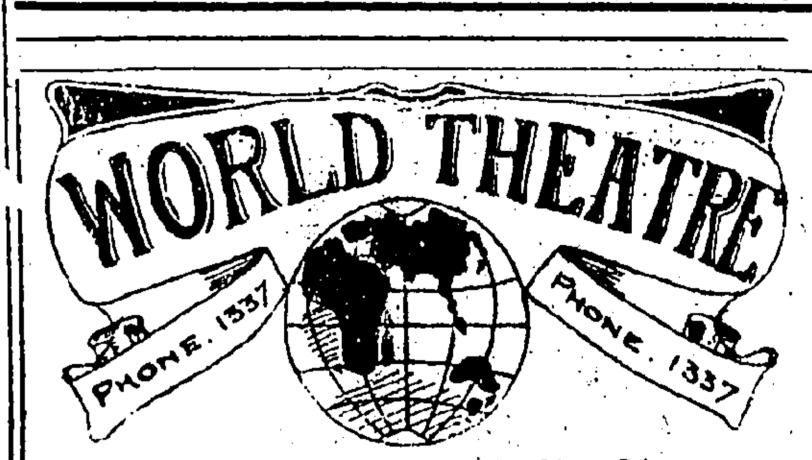
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at Boston on Sept. 15.

The B. F. s.s. "Phemius" from Liverpool | ft. Singapore at daylight on Sopt. 15 and is due here to-merrow. The A.O.L. s.s. "President McKinley" is dos at this port on September 20.
The B. F. s.s. "Kright Tomplar" for Genos, Marseil'en, Liverpool and Glas-gow left Shanghai on Sept. 17 for this port and is due here on Sept. 10. The

ve. sol will be despatched at daylight on The C.P.S., R.M.S. .. | Ropress of Ahia left Shimidzp on Sept. latt 6 pm, and is due at Victoria. B.O., on Sept. 12 at | undelivered after today will be subject

The B. I s.s. "Gracohus" left Singspore for this port on Rept. 16 at a.m. with the outward English Mails, and is due here on Sept. 22 at about p.m. The B. F. s s. " Eurypylus" left Liverpool on Aug. 21 for Straits Hongkong, Shanghai, Koho and Yokohama and is due here on or about Sept. 28. The B. L. s.s. Bencleuch from Middlesbro, Antwerp, and Landon lefe

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